HOUSE RESOLUTION 292

By Moore

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Pierce Moore for his impressive achievements.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to excellence, have distinguished themselves as emerging community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, a sixth grader at Sycamore Middle School, Pierce Moore is one such estimable young person who evinces the greatest integrity and probity in each of his chosen endeavors: and

WHEREAS, always striving for academic excellence, this brilliant young mind completed the Gateway Science Benchmark Test this year, scoring an impressive sixty-three out of sixty-five on this rigorous exam; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of his singular academic achievements, Mr. Pierce Moore received the President's Education Award for Outstanding Academic Excellence and has been regularly named to the venerable Principal's List; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to honors and accolades, Pierce has finished in the top five in Accelerated Reading points for the past two years; and

WHEREAS, while he was a student at Pleasant View Elementary School, during kindergarten through fourth grade, this honorable young man received six Citizenship Awards in recognition of his virtuous character; and

WHEREAS, having earned straight "A's" all four years at Pleasant View Elementary School and consistently displayed excellent character, Pierce was one of only ten students out of 200 chosen by the school staff to be inducted into the school's Hall of Fame; as part of this illustrious honor, his name will be posted on the school halls for the next three decades; and

WHEREAS, when not applying himself to academics, Pierce Moore is a devoted military buff, intrigued about various aspects of military vehicles, and an avid skeet shooter; and

WHEREAS, having learned the value of hard work at a young age, Mr. Moore is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Gary Moore, Jr., and Stacey Moore; his sister, Courtney Moore; and his grandparents, Representative Gary Moore, Sr., and Gloria Moore; and

WHEREAS, Pierce Moore's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Moore's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and recognize Pierce Moore for his impressive achievements and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.